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Only Action Changes the World

I didn't originate the statement, but I sure like it: "Only Action Changes the World." We often remind folks of this truth at our events.

Relative to the challenge contained in this five-word sentence, a few brief observations are in order.

First, as believers, we need to be people of action. I won't take time to unpack that, but just consider all of the imperatives—implicit and explicit—in the gospel.

Second, we need to take the right kind of action. Sure, action will change the world – IS changing the world – but we need to make sure our actions are the right actions, actions that find their source in the Word.

Finally, our actions ought to have the right motivations. This may be the greatest challenge of all! I Corinthians 13 comes to mind.

We need to be engaged in rightly motivated action. That can be giving a cup of cold water in Jesus name, sharing a gospel tract, visiting a friend or family member in a nursing home or visiting one or more elected officials in Madison to pray with and for them.



When we engage in the actions God calls us to, as in I Timothy 2:1-4, we are world-changers. That is a truth that should inspire us, motivate us, and humble us all at the same time.

Connecting with your legislators isn't the only world-changing action you can take. It may not even be the most important world-changing action you take. But we are hoping and praying it will become a regular action for many of you. I hope you agree with us that it is a worthy goal and that you will partner with us in this work as you are able.

Have a great day in the Lord!

In Christ,

Dave Lingle
WFC Church Ambassador

PS: Our last community event for the fall is at the Elkhorn Pizza Ranch this Thursday evening, November 7, from 6-8 p.m. State Supreme Court Justice Dan Kelly will also be with us. Call our office at 888-378-7395 to see if we still have room and to register.